

PATENT APPLICATION

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For: METHOD, SYSTEM, AND NETWORK ELEMENT FOR MONITORING OF BOTH SESSION CONTENT AND SIGNALLING INFORMATION IN NETWORKS

DECLARATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.132

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

- I, Glen Mathews, hereby declare and state:
- 1. I am a citizen of United States and reside in San Diego, California.
- 2. I am an IPR Specialist at Nokia Corporation (Assignee).
- 3. Antti K. Laurila and Toni Maki are joint inventors of the Present Application that claims priority to EP 04000607.4 filed January 14, 2004.
- 4. Based on their employment records, Antti K. Laurila and Toni Maki were employees of Assignee at the time of the invention of the Present Application and developed the subject matter claimed in the Present Application in the course of their

employment with the Assignee. Consequently, they had an obligation to assign their ownership rights in the Present Application to Assignee at the time of the invention.

- 5. In March 2004, Antti K. Laurila and Toni Maki executed an assignment for the Present Application to Assignee, and this assignment has been recorded at the Assignments Branch at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 015110/ Frame 0365. This assignment was recorded on March 17, 2004, concurrent with the filing of the Present Application.
- 6. Toni Maki was also a joint inventor of U.S. Patent Publication No. 2004/0228362 (Prior Application), that claims priority to EP 03011271.8 filed on May 16, 2003 and that was published on November 18, 2004. Aarne Jokinen and Marko Saukkonen are also named as joint inventors in the Prior Application;
- 7. According to their employment records, Aarne Jokinen, Marko Saukkonen, and Toni Maki were employees of Assignee at the time of the invention of the Prior Application and developed the subject matter claimed in the Prior Application in the course of their employment with the Assignee. Consequently, the joint inventors had an obligation to assign their ownership rights in the Prior Application to Assignee at the time of the invention of the Prior Application and before the invention of the claimed subject matter of the Present Application.
- 8. In May of 2004, Aarne Jokinen, Marko Saukkonen, and Toni Maki executed an assignment for the Prior Application to Assignee, and this assignment has been recorded with the Assignments Branch at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office at

Reel 015502/ Frame 0510. This assignment was recorded at the USPTO on June 22, 2004.

9. I hereby make the statements in this Declaration because Mr. Maki is no longer employed with Assignee and is not available to make a Declaration.

10. I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine and/or imprisonment under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing therefrom.

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